Buffalo County 1512 Central Avenue Kearney, NE 68845 www.buffalocounty.ne.gov (308) 236-1224

## We are Here to Serve the Citizens of Buffalo County

Buffalo County, its elected and appointed officials, and its employees have been working diligently to ensure we can continue to deliver essential services to our citizens while mitigating the risk of COVID-19 exposure and infection for our employees and members of the public.

Though we are open to the public and the staff is here to serve the public, we are asking citizens to conduct as much government business as possible via the U.S. mail, phone, online or drop box to help reduce the risk of exposure. The drop boxes are located in the horseshoe parking lot next to the west entrance by the buffalo. Below are some of the most common services we can provide through the mail and drop box:

## • Dropping off an early ballot

- o Please use the Office Ballot Drop Box
- Vehicle registration renewal (Please include the following)
  - o Proof of insurance
  - o Renewal notice
  - o Payment
  - o If there is an address change, please note that as well

## • Real Estate Taxes

O At this time, please call the office at (308) 236-1250 before dropping payment in the drop box.

If you do plan to come to the courthouse to conduct your business, please see the following:

- We strongly encourage the public to wear a mask. Masks and hand sanitizer are available inside the buffalo entrance.
- We ask everyone to utilize the temperature kiosk and if you have a temperature of 100.4 or higher, please return home and call the office you were hoping to do business with and we will try to help you over the phone if possible.
- If possible, please reduce the number of people in your group to what is necessary for business.
- If you plan to come to the courthouse to vote, please understand that the Election Office is only allowing 3 people in the office at one time, and other will need to wait in the hallway along the brick way until it is their turn to be helped.
  - Citizens can vote in the Election Commissioner's Office until Monday November 2, 2020 by 5:00 p.m.

All of the above measures are to help slow the spread. We are all in this together and we will continue to be here to serve the citizens of Buffalo County.